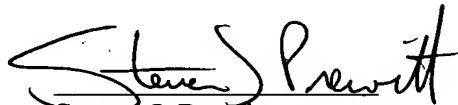


REMARKS

Claims 1-7 and 28-47 are pending in the present application. Claims 8-27 have been cancelled and claims 28-47 have been added.

If the Examiner has any questions or concerns regarding the present response, the Examiner is invited to contact Steven J. Prewitt at 703-591-2664. In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance, and favorable action is respectfully solicited.

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Below are the amendments in the accompanying Amendment for the above-identified application shown in redlined format:

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Please cancel claims 2, 3, 32, 33, 35, 36, 46 and 47 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the claims, without prejudice or disclaimer, as indicated below:

1. (Amended) A syringe comprising a syringe barrel having a plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia thereon.
4. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia comprise a plurality of weight indicia.
5. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia comprise a plurality of age indicia.
6. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia comprise a plurality of height indicia.

7. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, further comprising a means for adjusting the location of said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia with respect to said syringe barrel.

28. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia reflect a linear relationship between said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia and a fluid dosage to be dispensed.

29. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia reflect a non-linear relationship between said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia and a fluid dosage to be dispensed.

30. (Amended) The syringe of claim 1, wherein said plurality of non-volumetric measuring indicia ~~syringe~~ further comprises at least ~~two-one~~ additional different types of non-volumetric measuring indicia.

31. (Amended) The syringe of claim 30, wherein said at least ~~two-one~~ additional different types of non-volumetric measuring indicia are ~~is~~ selected from the group consisting of numeric indicia, age indicia, height indicia, weight indicia and color indicia.

34. (Amended) A kit comprising a syringe comprising a syringe barrel having a plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia thereon.

37. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia comprise a plurality of weight indicia.

38. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia comprise a plurality of age indicia.

39. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia comprise a plurality of height indicia.

40. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, further comprising a means for adjusting the location of said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia with respect to said syringe barrel.

41. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia reflect a linear relationship between said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia and a fluid dosage to be dispensed.

42. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, wherein said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia reflect a non-linear relationship between said plurality of numeric non-volumetric measuring indicia and a fluid dosage to be dispensed.

43. The kit of claim 34, further comprising at least one fluid or medication.

44. (Amended) The kit of claim 34, wherein said plurality of non-volumetric measuring indicia ~~kit~~ further comprises at least ~~two~~ ~~one~~ additional different types of non-volumetric measuring indicia.

45. (Amended) The kit of claim 44, wherein said at least ~~two~~ ~~one~~ additional different types of non-volumetric measuring indicia ~~are~~ ~~is~~ selected from the group consisting of numeric indicia, age indicia, height indicia, weight indicia and color indicia.